

109TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 327

To allow binding arbitration clauses to be included in all contracts affecting  
land within the Gila River Indian Community Reservation.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 25, 2005

Mr. GRIJALVA (for himself and Mr. HAYWORTH) introduced the following bill;  
which was referred to the Committee on Resources

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## A BILL

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contracts affecting land within the Gila River Indian  
Community Reservation.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. BINDING ARBITRATION FOR GILA RIVER IN-**  
4                       **DIAN COMMUNITY RESERVATION CON-**  
5                       **TRACTS.**

6           (a) AMENDMENTS.—Subsection (f) of the first sec-  
7       tion of the Act of August 9, 1955 (25 U.S.C. 415(f)), is  
8       amended—

9           (1) in the first sentence—

1           (A) by striking “Any lease” and all that  
2 follows through “affecting land” and inserting  
3 “Any contract, including a lease, affecting  
4 land”; and

5           (B) by striking “such lease or contract”  
6 and inserting “such contract”; and

7           (2) in the second sentence, by striking “Such  
8 leases or contracts entered into pursuant to such  
9 Acts” and inserting “Such contracts”.

10       (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by  
11 subsection (a) shall take effect as if included in Public  
12 Law 107–159 (116 Stat. 122).

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